



the **Church**
of **St Peter** and
St Simon-the-Apostle

Feast of Saint Simon and Saint Jude **October 28, 2018**

Holy Eucharist at 8:30 am

Celebrant: The Reverend Geoffrey Sangwine
The service begins on page 67 of the Book of Common Prayer.
Psalm 119.89-96 For the readings see 10:30 am

Choral Eucharist at 10:30 am

Altar Guild Corporate Communion

Celebrant: The Reverend Jennifer Matthews
Homilist: The Reverend Geoffrey Sangwine
Mass Setting: Mass of St Simon: Derek Holman
(Gloria, Sanctus/Benedictus)
Agnus Dei – Barry Cabena

Welcome to the Church of St. Peter and St. Simon-the-Apostle.
Children going to church school are invited to gather by the font.

Hearing Assistance Units are available at the back of the church.



We acknowledge that we are in the traditional territory of the Mississaugas of the New Credit, the Anishinaabe, the Haudenosaunees, and the Huron-Wendat, on whose land, and by whose water we gather to talk, listen, learn, worship, share and heal together in the name of our Creator, the Holy One of Blessing.

*"The earth is the Lord's, and all that is in it,
the world and all who dwell therein."*

Psalm 24.1 (BAS p.732)

*The flowers are given to the honour and glory of Almighty God and
in loving memory of her parents Frances and Spencer Reeder and
her sister Susan Reeder Meyers by Peggy Needham.*

Prelude *Christe, Aeterna Munera - Five preludes on Plainsong Melodies* HEALEY WILLAN

The Gathering of the Community

Hymn 434 *The Love of Jesus Calls Us*

AURELIA

Celebrant The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,
and the love of God,
and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit,
be with you all.

All **And also with you.**

Celebrant Almighty God,

All **to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are
hidden. Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy
Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy name;
through Christ our Lord. Amen**

Glory to God

All

With vigour ♩ = 132

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Glo - ry to God - in - the high - est and peace to his peo-ple on earth.

9

Lord God, heaven-ly King, al - might - y God and Fa - ther, we

14

wor - ship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for— your— glo - ry.

20

p

Lord Je - sus Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of God, you

26

take a - way the sin of the world:— have mer - cy on us; you are seat - ed at the

32

rit. - - - -

right hand— of the Fa - ther, re - ceive our prayer.

37

A tempo *f*

For you a - lone— are— the Ho - ly One, you a - lone— are the

43

Lord, you a-lone are the Most— High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly

48

rit. - - - -

Spi - rit, in the Glo - ry of God the Fa - ther,— A - - - men.

Collect of the Day

Celebrant Almighty God, we thank you for the glorious company of the apostles, and especially on this day for Simon and Jude. As they were faithful and zealous in their mission, so may we with ardent devotion make known the love and mercy of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Proclamation of the Word

First Lesson *Deuteronomy 32.1–4*

Read by Dennis Gittens

Reader A reading from the Book of Deuteronomy.

Give ear, O heavens, and I will speak;
let the earth hear the words of my mouth.

May my teaching drop like the rain,
my speech condense like the dew;

like gentle rain on grass,
like showers on new growth.

For I will proclaim the name of the Lord;
ascribe greatness to our God!

The Rock, his work is perfect,
and all his ways are just.

A faithful God, without deceit,
just and upright is he;

Reader The word of the Lord

All **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 119.89-96 *said by all.*



- ⁸⁹ O Lord, your word is ' ever'lasting; *
it ' ständs ' firm in · the ' heavens.
- ⁹⁰ Your faithfulness remains from one gene'ration · to an'other; *
you established the ' earth, and ' it a'bides.
- ⁹¹ By your decree these con'tinue · to this ' day, *
for ' all things ' are your ' servants.
- ⁹² If my delight had not ' been in · your ' law, *
I should have ' perished in ' my af 'fliction.
- ⁹³ I will never for'get · your com'mandments, *
because by ' them you ' give me ' life.
- ⁹⁴ I am yours; oh, that ' you would ' save me! *
for I ' study ' your com'mandments.
- ⁹⁵ Though the wicked lie in wait for me ' to des'troy me, *
I will apply my ' mind to ' your de'crees.
- ⁹⁶ I see that all things ' come to · an ' end, *
but your com'mandment ' has no ' bounds.

Reader A reading from the letter of Paul to the Ephesians.

But now in Christ Jesus you who once were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ. For he is our peace; in his flesh he has made both groups into one and has broken down the dividing wall, that is, the hostility between us. He has abolished the law with its commandments and ordinances, so that he might create in himself one new humanity in place of the two, thus making peace, and might reconcile both groups to God in one body through the cross, thus putting to death that hostility through it. So he came and proclaimed peace to you who were far off and peace to those who were near; for through him both of us have access in one Spirit to the Father. So then you are no longer strangers and aliens, but you are citizens with the saints and also members of the household of God, built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, with Christ Jesus himself as the cornerstone. In him the whole structure is joined together and grows into a holy temple in the Lord; in whom you also are built together spiritually into a dwelling-place for God.

Reader The word of the Lord.

All **Thanks be to God.**

Hymn 283 *By All Your Saints Still Striving Vs 1, 2u, 2v & 3*

KING'S LYNN

The Holy Gospel *John 15.17–27*

Celebrant The Lord be with you

All **And also with you.**

Celebrant The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

All **Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

I am giving you these commands so that you may love one another. ‘If the world hates you, be aware that it hated me before it hated you. If you belonged to the world, the world would love you as its own. Because you do not belong to the world, but I have chosen you out of the world—therefore the world hates you. Remember the word that I said to you, “Servants are not greater than their master.” If they persecuted me, they will persecute you; if they kept my word, they will keep yours also. But they will do all these things to you on account of my name, because they do not know him who sent me. If I had not come and spoken to them, they would not have sin; but now they have no excuse for their sin. Whoever hates me hates my Father also. If I had not done among them the works that no one else did, they would not have sin. But now they have seen and hated both me and my Father. It was to fulfil the word that is written in their law, “They hated me without a cause.” ‘When the Advocate comes, whom I will send to you from the Father, the Spirit of truth who comes from the Father, he will testify on my behalf. You also are to testify because you have been with me from the beginning.

Celebrant The Gospel of Christ.

All **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Homily

The Apostles' Creed

Celebrant Let us confess the faith of our baptism, as we say,

All **I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

Prayers of the People *Please kneel or stand, as able.*

Led by Ian Corlett

Anointing and Laying on of Hands for Healing

Celebrant Holy Scripture teaches us that in acts of healing and restoration our Lord Jesus and his disciples laid hands on the sick and anointed them. By so doing they made known the healing power and presence of God. Pray that as we follow our Lord's example, we may know his unfailing love.

*Those who would like to be anointed are invited at this time to the
St. Peter's altar at the south side of the church.*

Hymn 352 *Amazing Grace*

NEW BRITAIN

Confession and Absolution

The Celebrant invites the confession of sin. Then is said:

Celebrant Most merciful God,

All **We confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word and deed,
by what we have done and by what we have left undone.**

**We have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves.**

We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.

**For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us,
that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your name. Amen.** *The Absolution is pronounced.*

The Peace

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

All **And also with you.**

We invite you to share a sign of peace with those near you – a handshake, slight bow or other form of greeting. Please respect the wishes of those who prefer not to shake hands.

Commissioning of the Altar Guild Members

Priest Brothers and sisters in Christ, we are all baptised by the one Spirit into one Body, and given gifts for a variety of ministries for the common good. Today we commission these persons in the name of God and of this congregation to a special ministry to which they are called.

Sponsor I present to you these persons to be admitted to the ministry of the Altar Guild in this congregation.

Priest Are the persons you present prepared by a commitment to Christ as Lord, by regular attendance at worship and the knowledge of their duties, to exercise their ministry to the honour of God, and the well-being of this Church?

Sponsor I believe they are.

Priest You have been called to a ministry in this congregation.

Will you, as long as you are engaged in this work, perform it with diligence?

Candidate(s) I will, with God's help.

Priest Will you faithfully and reverently execute your duties to the honor of God, and the benefit of this congregation?

Candidate(s) I will, with God's help.

Antiphon

Priest The Levites were responsible for the ark, the table, the lampstand, the altars, and the vessels of the sanctuary with which the priests minister.

Priest O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness.

Response **Let the whole earth stand in awe of him.**

Priest In the temple of the Lord all are crying, "Glory".

Response **Holiness adorns your house, O Lord for ever.**

Priest Let us pray.

O God, you accepted the service of the Levites in your temple, and your Son was pleased to accept the loving service of his friends; bless the ministry of the Altar Guild of this parish, and these persons whom we now induct into the same. Give your servants grace, that they, caring for the vessels and vestments of your worship and adornment of your sanctuary, may make the place of your presence glorious; through Jesus Christ our Lord. In the name of God and of this congregation, I commission you NN, as member of the Altar Guild of this parish of St Peter and St Simon-the-Apostle, in the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

Celebration of the Eucharist

Hymn 277 *How Blessed Are All The Saints*

SONG 34

Prayer over the Gifts & Great Thanksgiving

Celebrant God of faithfulness, accept our offering this day, and give us grace to witness to your truth and to follow in the path of those who acknowledge Jesus as Lord for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

All **And also with you.**

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

All **We lift them to the Lord.**

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Celebrant Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of heaven and earth; in the multitude of your saints you have surrounded us with so great a cloud of witnesses, that we, rejoicing in their fellowship, may run with patience the race that is set before us, and together with them receive the crown of glory that never fades away. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all who have served you in every age, we raise our voices to proclaim the glory of your name.

All

Con moto ♩ = 100 *f*

Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Lord, God of

10 *a little faster* *rit.*

power and might, Heaven and earth are full of your glo-ry. Ho-san-na in the

19 *A tempo* *p* *rit.*

high - est. Bles - sed is he who

25 *mf* *rit.*

comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Celebrant We give thanks to you, Lord our God, for the goodness and love you have made known to us in creation; in calling Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Saviour and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life. On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, a death he freely accepted, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: this is my body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me." After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: this is my blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me." Therefore, Father, according to his command,

All **we remember his death,
we proclaim his resurrection,
we await his coming in glory;**

Celebrant and we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine. We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts, that they may be the sacrament of the body of Christ and his blood of the new covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we, made acceptable in him, may be sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, reconcile all things in Christ, and make them new, and bring us to that city of light where you dwell with all your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation; by whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honour and glory are yours, almighty Father, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Lord's Prayer

Breaking of the Bread

Celebrant "I am the bread which has come down from heaven," says the Lord.

All **Give us this bread for ever.**

Celebrant "I am the vine, you are the branches."

All **May we dwell in him, as he lives in us.**

Celebrant The gifts of God for the People of God.

All **Thanks be to God.**

Agnus Dei *Mass of St Simon*

BARRY CABENA

Choir O Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world, have mercy on us.
O Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world, have mercy on us.
O Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world, grant us your peace.

Holy Communion

All baptized Christians are welcome to receive Communion.

Please do not dip the consecrated bread into the wine - Drinking from the chalice is considered safe from the point of view of public health. You are also welcome to receive only the bread, if you prefer. Indicate this by holding your arms crossed over your chest as the chalice passes; this is also a way to receive a blessing rather than communion.

Gluten-free communion wafers are available – please let the administering priest know.

Hymn 557 *Eternal Spirit of the Living Christ*

SURSUM CORDA

54 *Bread of the World in Mercy Broken*

RENDEZ A DIEU

Motet *Lo in the time Appointed*

HEALEY WILLAN

*Lo, in the time appointed the Lord will come,
the mountains and hills will break forth in singing,
and all the trees of the field shall clap their hands:
for the Lord shall come into his everlasting kingdom
and on the throne of David he shall reign forever.*

Alleluia

Prayer after Communion *Please stand.*

Celebrant Eternal God, we are nourished by the bread of life. Strengthen us to witness to the gospel, and bring us to reign with Jesus Christ your Son, for he is Lord now and for ever. **Amen.**

Celebrant Glory to God,

All **whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine. Glory to God from generation to generation, in the Church and in Christ Jesus, for ever and ever. Amen.**

Blessing

Announcements *Please be seated.*

Hymn 278 *Jerusalem The Golden*

EWING

Dismissal

Celebrant Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

All **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude *Urbs Hierusalem Beata - 5 Preludes on Plainchant Melodies*

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10:30 am 1st Sunday – Choral Eucharist (Traditional)

2nd Sunday – Choral Matins

3rd Sunday – Choral Eucharist (Traditional)

4th Sunday – Choral Eucharist (Contemporary)

Sunday Evensong – As Announced

Last Tuesday of the Month – Candlelight Evening Prayer

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